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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Application No. 09/920,275
Filing Date July 31, 2001
First Named Inventor Gregory M. Chrysler
Art Unit 2829
Examiner Name Scott B. Geyer
Attorney Docket No. 042390.P12135

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See instruction sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply **06/25/2003 DTESSEM1 00000111 09920275**
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) **01 FC:1801** **750.00 DP**
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. **Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required**)
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(i) for Limited Suspension of Action
- iv. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 750.00 enclosed
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name (Print/Type) Stephen M. De Klerk Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 46,503
Signature [Signature] Date June 20, 2003

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(inventor(s))Application No.: 09/920,275Filed: July 31, 2001For: AN ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY INCLUDING A DIE HAVING AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT AND A LAYER OF DIAMOND TO TRANSFER HEAT
(title)Mail Stop: RCE
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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-referenced application.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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SignatureJune 20, 2003
Date

_____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached for presentation of additional claim(s).
_____ Applicant(s) hereby Petition(s) for an Extension of Time of _____ month(s) pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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_____ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-2666 the amount of \$ _____.

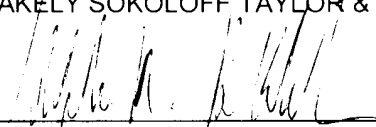
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 24, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows and that the following remarks be considered:

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